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1. At the end of World War II, the Swiss acquired two German electronics experts from the Telefunken organization in Germany: Johann Jakob von Baeyer and a colleague of his, name unknown. von Baeyer was assigned to work at the Brown-Boveri plant in Baden, near Zürich, while his colleague was placed with Masler AG, a large precision electrical firm in Bern. Both von Baeyer at Brown-Boveri and his former colleague at Masler were assigned secret projects for the development of radar equipment. These projects were in fact so secret that for a long time neither von Baeyer nor his former colleague knew what the other was working on. After approximately one year, however, the radar projects at both Brown-Boveri and Masler were dropped.\*
2. After the abandonment of the radar project at Brown-Boveri, von Baeyer was assigned to the regular Brown-Boveri high-frequency laboratory and has been working ever since on research in telephonic carrier-frequency. The carrier-frequency project on which he is working recently involved the installation of sending and receiving sets on top of the Albis hills outside Zürich and the Chasseral hills outside Geneva for experimentation in radio-telephony between the two cities.

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\* Comment: [REDACTED] no other radar project was being 25X1X  
carried out anywhere else in Switzerland at the time of the dropping of the  
two above-mentioned projects.

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